

**IN THE SPECIFICATION:**

On Page 4, In the Second Paragraph, Line 22:

After years of drawing on a well with vacuum pressure, the rate at which gas can be ~~abstracted~~ extracted from the well becomes greatly diminished.

On Page 5, Line 2:

the particulate matter residing in the well. While these methods are somewhat effective they leave behind unwanted by-products such as hydrogen sulfide gas and related precipitates.

On Page 5, In the First Paragraph, Line 8:

Although, acid treatment may bring an immediate improvement in gas production, over time the production will slow and decrease below prior production flow rates.

On Page 9, In the First Paragraph, Line 5:

During the initial phase of the inventive method disclosed herein, several soil and media samples will be taken from the subject well upon which secondary recovery operations will be conducted.

On Page 9, In the Third Paragraph, Line 20:

The first step in the well cleaning method discussed herein involves injecting a predetermined amount of an aprotic solvent, such as methylene chloride ( $\text{CH}_2\text{Cl}_2$ ), into the well preferably in a liquid state (**Step 202**).